## **Blast Vulnerability Workshop**

A hands-on training for educating water supply systems on the vulnerabilities and effects of explosive blasts.

**When:** Wednesday, March 7 (8:00AM – 5:00PM)

**Location:** The Madison Hotel

1177 15<sup>th</sup> Street, NW Washington, D.C.

**Limited Seats:** Only 30 utility representatives may participate.

Hotel Deadline: February 8, 2007

This is the first of three free workshops for water systems that AMWA will coordinate in 2007 on the vulnerability of water supply systems to explosive blasts. Under EPA sponsorship, the U.S. Army Corps of Engineers will be conducting the workshops, which will cover information about blast effects, vulnerabilities and protection, as well as training with the Corps' Blast Vulnerability Analysis (BVA) tool. The other two workshops will occur in other regions of the country.

> Participants should bring a laptop computer to use for hands-on training with the tool.

To reserve a room at The Madison Hotel, call 202.862.1600. Use Reservation ID **AMW73A** to get the special workshop rate of \$209. The deadline for the special rate is February 8, 2007.

- ➤ The workshop will include two coffee breaks. Participants will be on their own for lunch.
- ➤ Sign up by faxing the registration form on page 2 to Erica Brown at AMWA at 202.785.1845. If you have additional questions, please email Erica at brown@amwa.net or call her at 202.331.2820.

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## **Blast Vulnerability Workshop Registration**

Utility Name
Population Served
Attendee Name and Title
Address, City, State, Zip
Phone
Email

## **Please FAX the completed form to:**

Erica Brown, AMWA Fax # 202-785-1845

While the workshop is free, space is limited. Therefore, if you need to cancel your registration, do so by <u>February 15, 2007</u> so that potential attendees on the waiting list can make plans to attend.

**Hotel Information:** There is a 14.5% sales tax. Check-in time is 3:00 PM and reservations cannot be held for late arrival after 4:00 PM unless guaranteed by a credit card (Visa, Master Card, American Express, Discover, Diners Club) or a check for one night's stay. Check-out time is 12:00 PM. **Cancellations must be received by the hotel 72 hours prior to the scheduled arrival date in order to avoid first night charges.** There is a \$50 early check-out fee.

The Madison Hotel is located at 15th and M Streets, NW, Washington, D.C.

**Ground Transportation:** Reagan National Airport is a 15-minute cab ride to the hotel (\$15 - \$20). Alternatively you may wish to take Metro. The hotel is 2 blocks north of the McPherson Square Metro stop (blue line from Reagan National Airport) or roughly 3 blocks east of the Farragut North Metro stop's L Street exit (red line). Dulles International Airport is a 45-minute cab ride to the hotel (approx. \$55 - \$60).